

Dear FCC Commissioners & Staff:

I am writing on behalf of Friend for Life Cancer Support Network, regarding your consideration of dropping the requirement that the telephone companies be required to provide ISPs access to their networks. I feel that removal of this requirement would be a grave mistake.

A local Internet Service Provider gives access to the Internet for the small non-profit organization I represent. They provide cost-free dial-up service for us, something the large telephone carrier does not provide to non-profits. Having to pay for this service would strain our small budget.

By removing the requirement and reducing our choice, rates will likely rise. By having a choice among several providers to choose from, we can find the best services to suit our needs at the best price, something that is extremely important to the organization I represent.

I ask you to continue to protect the ISPs access to the public telephone networks.

Thank you for your consideration of my request.

Sincerely,

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